

**Amendments to the Claims:**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Original) The use of at least one water-soluble polymer and of at least one coloring agent in the manufacture of a cosmetic product comprising an anhydrous film, this film being formed of at least one layer composed of a matrix based on said water-soluble polymer in which is included said coloring agent, said cosmetic product being intended for making up and/or caring for the lips.

2. (Original) The use as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the polymer is chosen from polymers of protein type; polymers deriving from chitin or from chitosan; polysaccharide polymers; acrylic polymers or copolymers; vinyl polymers; copolymers of vinylpyrrolidone and of caprolactam, and their blends.

3. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in claim 1-~~or 2~~, characterized in that said coloring agent is chosen from water-soluble dyes, pigments and their mixtures.

4. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, characterized in that the coloring agent comprises at least one water-soluble coloring agent.

5. (Original) The use as claimed in claim 4, characterized in that said water-soluble dye is chosen from copper sulfate, iron sulfate, water-soluble sulfopolyesters, rhodamines, natural dyes, such as carotene and beetroot juice, methylene blue, caramel, the disodium salt of tartrazine and the disodium salt of fuchsin, and their mixtures.

6. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, characterized in that said coloring agent comprises at least one pigment.

7. (Original) The use as claimed in claim 6, characterized in that said pigment is chosen from reflecting pigments, goniochromatic pigments, interference pigments,

pearlescent pigments, fluorescent pigments, glitter and their mixtures.

8. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, characterized in that the coloring agent is present in a content ranging from 0.005 to 20% by weight, in particular from 0.01 to 10% by weight and more particularly from 0.05 to 5% by weight, with respect to the total weight of said cosmetic product.

9. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, characterized in that the product additionally comprises at least one active compound.

10. (Original) The use as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that the active compound is water-soluble.

11. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~claim 9 or 10~~, characterized in that the active compound is chosen from compounds having a moisturizing, softening, emollient, healing, regenerating, soothing or antiwrinkle action, a protective action against solar radiation or an action targeted at enhancing blood microcirculation in order to render the lips naturally more colored, in order to increase their volume or in order to smooth their surface.

12. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of claims 9 to 11~~ claim 9, characterized in that the active compound is chosen from vitamin E and its derivatives, vitamin A and its derivatives, polyunsaturated fatty acids, essential oils, plant extracts, sphingolipids and ceramides, sunscreens, such as, for example, octyl methoxycinnamate, 3-benzophenone or butylmethoxydibenzoylmethane, retinoic acid and its esters, and their mixtures.

13. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of claims 9 to 11~~ claim 9, characterized in that the active compound is chosen from  $\alpha$ -hydroxy acids, such as lactic acid or glycolic acid, ascorbic acid and its biologically compatible salts, enzymes,

components with a tightening effect, hydroxy acids and their salts, hydroxylated polyacids, sucrose and its derivatives, urea, amino acids, oligopeptides, water-soluble plant extracts, peptide or protein hydrolysates, bacterial ferments, trace elements, hyaluronic acid and its salts, mucopolysaccharides, vitamins B2, B6, H, PP, panthenol, folic acid,  $\beta$ -hydroxy acids, such as acetylsalicylic acid, allantoin, glycyrrhetic acid, kojic acid, hydroquinone, arginine, lysine, proline, serine, flavonoids, ginkgo biloba extracts, and their mixtures.

14. (Currently Amended) The use as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~ claim 1, characterized in that the product is devoid of water-insoluble support layer.

15. (Original) A cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising an anhydrous film, this film being formed of at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, said coloring agent being chosen from reflecting pigments, goniochromatic pigments, interference pigments, pearlescent pigments, fluorescent pigments, glitter and their mixtures.

16. (Original) A cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising:

- an anhydrous film, this film being formed of at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, and

- an active compound chosen from compounds having a softening, healing, regenerating or soothing action or an action targeted at enhancing blood microcirculation in order to render the lips naturally more colored, in order to increase their volume or in order to smooth their surface.

17. (Original) A cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising:

- an anhydrous film, this film being formed of at least one layer composed of

a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, and

- at least one active compound chosen from polyunsaturated fatty acids, sphingolipids and ceramides, octyl methoxycinnamate, retinoic acid and its esters, and their mixtures.

18. (Original) A cosmetic product for making up and/or caring for the lips comprising:

- an anhydrous film, this film being formed of at least one layer composed of a matrix based on at least one water-soluble polymer in which is included at least one coloring agent, and

- at least one active compound chosen from glycolic acid, enzymes, components with a tightening effect, hydroxy acids and their salts, hydroxylated polyacids, amino acids, oligopeptides, peptide or protein hydrolysates, bacterial ferments, trace elements, hyaluronic acid and its salts, mucopolysaccharides, vitamins B2, B6, H, PP, panthenol, folic acid,  $\beta$ -hydroxy acids, such as acetylsalicylic acid, allantoin, glycyrrhetic acid, kojic acid, arginine, lysine, proline, serine, flavonoids, ginkgo biloba extracts, and their mixtures.

19. (Currently Amended) The cosmetic product as claimed in ~~any one of claims 15 to 18~~ claim 15, characterized in that it is devoid of a water-insoluble support layer.

20. (Currently Amended) A method for making up the lips, characterized in that it comprises the facts of applying, to the lips, a cosmetic product as defined according to ~~any one of claims 15 to 19~~ claim 15 and of dissolving the product by the action of the saliva and the rubbing of the lips against one another or the pressure of the finger.